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SUBJECT: PRESIDENTIAL LETTER ON EXCHANGE OF PRISONERS

REF: MEXICO 0569

1. PLEASE TRANSMIT TO PRESIDENT LOPEZ PORTILLO TEXT OF FOLLOWING LETTER, DATED JANUARY 9, FROM PRESIDENT CARTER:

BEGIN TEXT: DEAR MR. PRESIDENT:

ON BEHALF OF THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT AND PEOPLE, MAY I CONVEY MY DEEPEST GRATITUDE TO YOU AND YOUR GOVERNMENT FOR THE INITIAL TRANSFER OF PRISONERS UNDER THE U.S.-MEXICAN TREATY ON THE EXECUTION OF PENAL SENTENCES. YOUR ORIGINAL INSPIRATION AND SUBSEQUENT COOPERATION WERE VITAL TO THE TREATY.
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WE HOPE THIS JOINT EFFORT BETWEEN OUR COUNTRIES WILL BE A MODEL FOR SIMILAR HUMANE AGREEMENTS THROUGHOUT THE WORLD, SO THAT PRISONERS MAY UNDERGO REHABILITATION IN THEIR OWN SOCIETIES. IT WAS PARTICULARLY FITTING THAT THE FIRST EXCHANGE UNDER THE TREATY OCCURRED DURING THE

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HOLIDAY SEASON, WHEN FAMILY REUNIONS TAKE ON A SPECIAL SIGNIFICANCE.

VICE PRESIDENT MONDALE WILL CARRY MY PERSONAL THANKS TO YOU AND YOUR MINISTERS IN A FEW WEEKS. IN THE MEANTIME, MR. PRESIDENT, PLEASE ACCEPT MY BEST WISHES FOR THE COMING YEAR.

SINCERELY,

/S/ JIMMY CARTER

HIS EXCELLENCY
JOSE LOPEZ PORTILLO
PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED MEXICAN STATES,
MEXICO, D.F.
END TEXT.

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